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STUART DETAILS **FIVE OFFICERS AS** ADJUNCT STAFF

Governor-Elect Picks Them From Regiments and Battalions.

as each member must buy his equipment and pay his way, but when the organized militia has reached the point of highest efficiency in many States. there is a growing demand for a real staff composed of real officers.

PLANS FOR MILITIA

Carrison Makes Suggestions to Improve Washington, January 12.—Plans suggested by Secretary Garrison for improvement of the organized militia were taken up here to-day by the National Militia Board.

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NO PARDON FOR TOLMAN

JUST HELPED THEMSELVES

Siegel Proprietors Always Could Get
Loose Change From Their Bank.
New York, January 12.—Henry Melville, receiver for the Henry Siegel &
Co. bank, told the Committee on Banks
of the Senate to-day that "whenever
any of the proprietors felt the need of
any loose change to the amount of a
few dollars he went to the bank and
took what he wanted without giving
any note or security of any kind. Mr.
Siegel himself, the receiver said, borrowed \$754.191 without security, except a written agreement pledging
34,900 shares of the common stock of
the Siegel Stores Corporation against
these loans.

The hearing was held by the Senate
committee to get testimony for use in
revising the State banking laws in relation to the privileges of private
banks. The whole day's session was
spent investigating the affairs of the
bankrupt Siegel enterprises.

The Siegel bank, according to the
receiver's testimony, had deposits of
\$2,550,333, distributed among 15,090
customers of the Fourteenth Street
Store in this city. Mr. Melville said
this money was lont also to the two
Siegel stores in New York and one in
Boston. The actual assets of the bank,
he said, were \$14,000 in cash, \$25,000
in bonds and a cash bond of \$100,000.

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Carolina, to-day was found not guilty of murder in Sessions Court here. The Attorney-General was tried for the killing of Robert Marshall, negro chef at the Elks' Home in this city, on the night of December 6. The testimony of witnesses was to the effect that the pistol Mr. Peeples held was accidentally discharged by striking the edge of a counter. The trial consumed only about two hours. about two hours.

CABINET MEETING TO-DAY

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, January 12.—President Wilson has telegraphed Secretary Tumulty to call a Cabinet meeting for tomorrow at 11 o'clock. No intimation is given of the subjects to be discussed, but it is believed the President wishes to communicate as quickly as possible the confidential details of his conference with John Lind on Mexico.

cate agreement would be extended to 1925. The syndicate controls the potash mines of Germany and has maintained price levels by restricting output.

WILSON IN NEW ROLE

Money Lender Cannot Buy His Way Out of Prison.

Albany, N. Y., January 12.—Governor Glynn to-day refused finally to pardon D. H. Tolman, the convicted New York money lender, when District Attorney Whitman refused to say he favored an absolute pardon.

The Governor said the amount of indebtedness which would be canceled by the notes Tolman promised to destroy if released, and the number of people who would be benefited would be based on guesswork.

"The acceptance of such a proposition would open the way for men of means to obtain pardons that is not open to poor men," the Governor said.

SOUTH CAROLINA LOOMS UP BIG ON AIDING RICHMOND WINTER PROGRAM TO SECURE BANK

Most Important Work Greenville Pledges Its Support to Virginia's

James P. Gossett, of Williamston, a widely known cotton manufacturer and banker, warmly indorsed Richmond.

The Chamber of Commerce meeting this afternoon was attended by bankers from all the surrounding territory, and all of them came out heartily for Richmond.

Matched orders and wash sales would be prohibited and the use of the mails, telephone or felegraph lines would be barred to fraudulent or "harmful" stock exchange transactions by a bill introduced by Senator Owen, chairman of the Banking Committee. No transactions of the Banking Committee.

change were incorporated and governed by regulations under direction of the Postmaster-General.

All Present but Jones [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] Washington, D. C., January 12.—When Speaker Clark called the House to order at noon to-day the member-

When Speaker Clark called the House to order at noon to-day the mombership of the Virginia delegation was intact with the exception of Congressman William A. Jones, who will not be able to resume his regular duties for some time to come. Mr. Jones had hoped for a long time to take up his regular work at this time, but it is probable that he will not be able to do so now.

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A reception was tendered the Rich-mond visitors at the Poinsett Club to-Postmaster-General.

Debate on Alaska Begins.

Washington, January 12.—Debate on the bill providing for a government-owned railroad in Alaska began in the Senate to-day, with the prospect of occupying many sessions before final action. Senator Chamberlain, of Oregon, in charge of the measure, spoke at length, reading from the reports of government experts sent into the Territory to study its possibilities, and characterizing the purchase of Alaska from Russia as the greatest business arrangement in which the United States ever had engaged.

Reciting statistics on Alaska's minerals and fisheries to show the vast commerce lying isolated and virtually impossible of development under present conditions, Senator Chamberlain said the present railroads did little or nothing to aid the Territory as a whole, because they were constructed to serve the ends of private interests. The Alaska of to-day, he declared, was a country for rich men only. night.
Just before the Clearing-House Association began its meeting this afternoon Atlanta bankers called up Greenville bankers over long-distance telephone and made an effort to be the phone, and made an effort to have the association hold up action until Atlanta's claims could be presented. Columbia also requested that the association delay action. This, the association and the Chamber of Commerce declined to do, the sentiment of both being irrevocably for Richmond.

The delegation will leave at 2 o'clock to-morrow moraing for Spartanburg

to-morrow morning for Spartanburg and Columbia.

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The Richmond delegation, composed of the United States of John C. Calhoun, \$96 cadets of Clembers on Milliary Academy swarmed around the end of the train and gave Mr. Wilson Millier, Jr.

Thomas B. Alcadams and Horace F. Smith, reached here this morning at 8 o'clock, was met by representative of the Chamber of Commerce, and given a hearing in the directors' room of the Citizens' National Rank. Careful consideration was accorded the presentative of the Chamber of Richmond's claims as the logical place for the new Federal reserve bank.

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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE



tions have not all been arranged, the President is planning to devote the the northwest, Norfolk to-day experi-remainder of the week to consulta- enced the coldest weather of the wintions with members of his Cabinet and leaders in Congress, and will read his trust message to a joint session next degrees.

The President said he was unadvised can situation, and seemed somewhat annoyed that Charge O'Shaughnessy should have been drawn into the lime should have been drawn into the limelight recently in press reports that he
was not in harmony with John Lind
and the Washington administration.

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Roads for Culebra, are battling with
the storm off the South Carolina coast.

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Hampton Roads is filled with sailing
the committees of the House being ap-The President had pointed out previ-ously that when Mr. Lind visited him, the work of Charge O'Shaughnessy was mentioned only in the most favorable

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battleships and as many torpedo boats card: which sailed Saturday from Hampton Roads for Culebra, are battling with craft and tugs with tows waiting fav-orable weather before venturing to a candidate, I wish to state I think wa sea. Incoming steamers report severe can trust the Speaker, whoever he Over on the naval training station, committees.

over extreme Western Minnesota and Important questions and study

What the Hotel Secor is to Toledo. The Hotel Wallick is to New York. Located at Times Square and 42rd St.

HOUSE WILL MAKE COX SPEAKER AT CAUCUS TO-NIGHT

White and Stubbs Retire in Favor of Rich-

wind blowing fifty miles an hour from and throw up my hat with congratulaance to those who were against tions to my friend, Edwin P. Co

Major Stubbs has made a habit of The forecast for to-night was coming to the House since 1869, though egrees.

Along the coast the wind reached a the only member of either house whose President said he was unadvised velocity of from sixty to seventy miles service dates back to that catastrophe late developments in the Mexinan hour, and shipping is believed to in retiring from the speakership contraction, and seemed somewhat have suffered considerably. The six test yesterday, he issued the following

be, to do ample justice in appointing

"After so many years of legislative life, I can safely say the Democratic members of the House will not make mistake in electing a Speaker, and pledge him in advance my cordial support in aiding when I can to make his administration a success. I predict this General Assembly will measure up to the expectations of the people of Virginia. From what I know and have seen of the Senators and winter members of the House, they will com-pare favorably with any Legislature

that I have known since 1869. "My advice is to grasp carefully; to discuss them in a friendly way and with respect to each other's opinions; then compromise and give the all important measures. All laws of great moment are the getting together of the majority of the lawmakers, a'2d

at last nothing but compromises. We are proud of of Richmond; and I hope our course will be of such a character as to re-